Docket No: 08-0324 **Bench Date:** 6/25/08 **Deadline:** 8/14/08

MEMORANDUM

TO: The Commission

FROM: Bonita A. Benn, Administrative Law Judge

DATE: June 9, 2008

SUBJECT: Illinois Bell Telephone Company and Vertex Broadband,

Corp. d/b/a AthenaTel d/b/a Reason to Switch d/b/a

TownLink Communications d/b/a INT Connections.

Joint Petition for Approval of 2nd Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement dated May 6, 2008, pursuant to

47 U.S.C. §252.

RECOMMENDATION: Enter Order approving the 2nd Amendment to the

Interconnection Agreement.

This matter concerns Commission approval of the 2nd Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between Illinois Bell Telephone Company and Vertex Broadband, Corp. No petitions for leave to intervene were filed and there are no contested issues in this docket. The Amendment does not discriminate against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the Agreement, nor would implementation of the Amendment be contrary to the public interest, convenience and necessity.

Accordingly, I recommend the Commission enter the attached Order approving the 2nd Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement.

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